to liquidate these flats in favour of the allottees/occupants. The price of the flats has already been fixed and in many cases notices for payment have also been issued. The flats will be liquidated only after the payment of the price and clearance of arrears of licence fee.

The DDA has ceased to maintain these tenements with effect from 11-6-84 and it is the responsibility of occupants/allottees to maintain these tenements after 1 6.84.

(e) and (f) The cattle catching staff conducts raids in the area from time to time and they have been directed to attend to stray cattle nuisance more vigorously.

Fodder and seeds to tribal farmers in Rajasthan

1680. SHRI PARVATHANENI UPENDRA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received any memoranda recently from the tribal farmers of Rajasthan and other States, demanding fodder for the cattle and seeds to face the acute drought and famine; and

(b) if so, what action Government have taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA): (a) and (b) No memoranda have been received in this Ministry from tribal farmers of Rajasthan or from other States seeking assistance for fodder and seeds to face the drought situation. Administration of drought relief is the responsibility or the State Government concerned, and Central Government does not deal directly with the farmers. Government of India extends asis tance to the affected States for meeting natural calamities.

Wasteful Expenditure by ICAR

1681. SHRI PARVATHANENI UPENDRA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government attention has been drawn to the Annual report of the Indian Council of Agricultural Research containing many instances of infructuous/ wasteful expenditure incurred by the Council during the last one year;

(b) if so, whether any enquiry has been made to fix responsiblity for such infructuous and wasteful expenditure; and

(c) the action taken by Government in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA): (a) The Annual Report of the Indian Council of Agricultural Research for the year 1984-85 which *Inter-alia* includes the Audit Report on the Accounts of the ICAR for the year 1984-85 was placed on the Table of the Rajya Sabha on 12.5.1986. The Audit Report contains 16 paras. In accordance with Bye-law 20 of the Bye-Laws of the ICAR Society, the Governing Body is vested with the authority to deal with the audit objections before the same are placed before the Annual General Body. The Audit Report for the year 1984-85 together with the Council's comments was placed before the Governing Body on 25-3-1986 and subsequently before the Annual General Body on 27-3-1986. The Council is further pursuing the audit objections as per directives given by the Governing Body.

(b) The audit objections are to be finally dealt with in accordance with the directions given by the Governing Body. However, all concerned have been advised to take disciplinary action wherever necessary in accordance with the prescribed procedure.

(c) No action is required to be taken by the Government in view of the clarifications given against paras (a) and (b) above.

Allotment of flats under the Self-Financing Scheme by DDA

1682. SHRI PARVATHANENI UPENDRA: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of flats under the